

## Pine Tree Quilt Guild General Meeting Notes

June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2013

President Joan Mosley called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm. Both the Golden Valley Quilt Guild (from Citrus Heights) and Annie's Star Quilt Guild (from Chico) had their opportunity quilts on display during this month's meeting.

Pat Gillings announced the recipients of the guild's scholarship awards. Both Brynn Farwell and Jessica Schoellerman will receive \$1,5000 to help them in their studies. Brynn will be attending the Cornish Art School in Seattle. This is the second year that Jessica is receiving the award. She is a sophomore at California Baptist University in Riverside.

Nancyan Tracy invited everyone to attend the annual picnic. It will take place on the second Tuesday of July (the 9<sup>th</sup>) at the LDS Church in Nevada City on Hollow Way, off Gold Flat Road. It a potluck, starting at 6:30. The guild will provide drinks, plates and silverware. There is no smoki or alcohol on the premises. And, please, leave your skateboards at home.

Lois Hodges announced the Guild Challenge. It takes a different format this year. Each participant draws from 3 bags, receiving a color, shape and noun (that encompasses a summer theme). These 3 items will be the basis of your quilt. Adding something that commemorates the 30 anniversary of the guild will get you extra points. Lois will bring these bags to each meeting. The quilts are due at the March meeting.

Carol Riddles thanked all the committee chairs for their hard work. Mary Serpa won the drawing for a free guild workshop. Carol also collected any surveys that had been brought to the meeting.

Joan Mosley told us about the International Quilt Festival in Long Beach that takes place August 1<sup>st</sup> thru the 4<sup>th</sup>. Joy Waggener had attended in the past and stated it was very impressive.

Lorna Straka, the Opportunity Quilt Chair, unveiled the 2014 Opportunity Quilt. This was made by the Sew Happy Mini Group. It has a summer theme, in blues and yellows and is king size. Lorna is looking for a co-chair to help market the quilt. She also asked for donations for the Paint the Town Pink Event. Last year because the guild contributed many items to their silent auction, we were able to market our quilt with out payment for a booth. This takes place in October.

Cathy Stone spoke on the behalf of Sugar Pine Quilt Shop. Their annual retreat will take place at the Courtyard Suites, July 26<sup>th</sup> through July 28<sup>th</sup>. She will be holding a workshop called Stupendous Stitching, Ingrid Cattaneo will teach a collage method, Christine Barnes will be holding class on color and Pam from Manna Beads will be teaching beading on fabric.

Deirdre Campbell is still taking sign ups for the Jamboree.

Marjorie McConnell announced that this month's community service would take place on the fourth Thursday, June 27<sup>th</sup> from 10-3.

Lynda Lasich told of upcoming speakers and their workshops. September, Marjorie Johnson will be show how to make a landscape, story telling quilt or garment. In October Karen Boutte will be offering class on a Puzzle Portraits and in November, Thom Adkins will hold a Beading 2 class. These workshops are a bargain at \$25.

Frances O'Brien is taking sign ups for white gloving at the fair. Please contact her if you can help.

Kate Grant, treasurer of the Quilt Show, has checks for reimbursement and checks from sales at the county store. Tonight is the last night to get your receipts in to her.

The following had quilts to share in our monthly Show and Tell: Naomi Cook, Molly Cook, Nancyan Tracy, Lynda Lasich, Jeri Hanson, Christine Barnes, Marjorie McConnell, Lorna Tiller and Carey Daly. In addition, a group of ladies showed the fabric sculptures that they had made in the last speaker workshop.

Lynda Lasich had just received wonderful news. Her quilt Pennies from Heaven (which won Best of Show at our Quilt Show) was entered into the state fair competition. There it won first place Best of Division and Best of Show.

Tonight's speaker was Bobbi Finley. She started quilting in 1987 after reading 'The Quilters'. She became active in the American Quilt Study Group and co-authored the book Tile Quilt Revival. She had many examples of the tile quilts, both present and past. She has recently been reinterpreting classic quilts with new fabrics and designs and had examples of those as well.

Final announcements: June 13<sup>th</sup> is the next board meeting

June 18<sup>th</sup> is the Quilt Show Wrap Up.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Judy Hamilton